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Dear Interested Party:

Enclosed is information on the National Health Service Corps-Virginia Loan Repayment Program, which is funded by federal and state dollars, and the National Health Service Corps Loan Repayment Program, fully funded through federal dollars. Please note that both programs require the practice location to be in a federally designated health professional shortage area (HPSA). The most current HPSA list is enclosed.

Both programs offer loan repayment of \$25,000 a year for a minimum two-year commitment; the money is taxable. In addition to loan repayment funds, the fully funded federal program offers an additional 39% of that amount to cover income taxes; the federal-state program does not offer additional funds for this purpose.

Should you need further information about either of these programs, please call the numbers listed on the enclosed forms. If you need help with finding a practice opportunity in Virginia, please contact Darlene Swinson at 1-800-694-7349.

Sincerely,

Norma C. Marrin
Program Coordinator

Enclosures